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DENMARK, LED BY KING, SHOWERS HONORS ON COOK

Arrival of American Signal for Remarkable Demonstration.

CITY CONVINCED BY POLE STORY

Whatever Rest of World May Think of Explorer, Copenhagen Believes He Has Been to Farthest North-Crowds Go Wild on His Arrival.

Dr. Cook replied in a few words to the compliments, modestly saying:

"I thank you very much for the warm and eloquent words, bue I am unable to express myself properly. It was a rather hard day for me, but I never enjoyed a day better,

"The Danes have taken no active part in polar explorations, but they have been of much importance as silent partners in almost all Arctic expeditions in recent years. The most important factor in my expedition was the Eskimo with his dog, and I cannot be too thankful to the Danes for the care of the Eskimo, and now they also have instituted a mission at Cape York. Had I not met with the right Eskimos and the right dogs and the right provisions I could never have reached the pole. I owe much to the Danish nation for my success."

A telegram was read conveying the congratulations of the King of Sweden for "a brilliant deed of which the American people may rightly be proud." Toasts to Mrs. Cook and to the Eskimos of the party were drunk. Two hundred students in uniform marched in when the company returned to the party were drunked to the grand hall, and gave Dr. Cook a rousing cheer. They insisted upon a surprise and sang songs. A noteworthy feature of the banquet atter Dr. Cook's acceptance in the moorning was that the applications for seats reached into the thousands.

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American Playwright Bodies Found at Grave Two Men Captured and Succumbs to Appendicitis After Operation,

MADE FORTUNE BY RAPID-FIRE WORK

Produced Mansfield's Famous Role and Had Remarkable Total of Half, a Hundred Plays to His Credit. How He Found His

was produced later in quick time and insually with success, had been done it the days when he was teaching himself the art of dramatic composition.

Early in 1901, when Mr. Fitch had arrived at a place in the theatrical world when his mere name was almost sufficient recommendation for a play, his "Lovers' Lane" was playing at the Mannattan Theatre, his "Climbers" at the Bijou, his "Captain Jinks" at the Garrick, and his "Barbara Frietchie" at the Academy of Music.

Formula for Successful Plays.

In an interview not so many months ago Mr. Fitch gave this formula for successful plays:

"Create characters that are human beings, right of the fit of the house.

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you do all this sincerely and do it well, then—well, then you may have success."

Mr. Fitch's own characters were delightfully human, when acted as ordinary people act, and if what they said and did often displayed no great insight into character it at least entertained many thousands of people. He made writing pay. His income from his dramas has been estimated at all the way from \$75,000 to \$150,000 a year. And for all his rapid-fire production he was a most careful worker. "I think of my plays for two years," 'a once said, "though I may write them in five weeks, and before I give them over to be typewritten they have been gone over at least four times. An idea for a play comes to me usually from reflection upon some peculiarity or character I have observed."

Amherst College conferred the degree of master of arts upon Mr. Fitch in 1902. He was a member of the Lambs and the Players Clubs. was never married. His father died some years, age. His mother lived with him at his New York and Green-wich homes.

of Woman's First Husband.

LETTER TELLS

Brooklyn Woman Kills Man Royal Blue Flyer Hurled from Who Made Her Life Miserable and Then Shoots Herself. Discovered in Room in Dying Con-

KILLS HER HUSBAND

Expected to Make Confession.

SMALL ARMY JOINS OF AGREEMENT IN ALL-DAY SEARCH

Track by Removal of Spikes from Rail - Two People Killed and Seventeen Injured-Big Reward Offered,

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Young Tyson was bleeding when he was pulled out by men who heard the crash and ran to the rescue, and to the grey, "Are you hurt, Johnnie?" he feebly replied; "Yes, I'm hurt badly."

It is believed that ha is injured interfially. One of the women with him thad her face cut, and the other two occupants of the machine were bruised.

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MAYOR UNDER ARREST

BANK PRESIDENT ENDS LIFE

MEAT PRICES SOAR

WILL EFFECT REVOLUTION

WILD DASH BY RUNAWAY CARS THROUGH CITY

Quick Work in Changing Switch Saved Head-On Crash With Train

CAME DOWN BROAD LIKE BLUE STREAK

Shot Into Belvidere, Through Tunnel, and Then Across Trestle to Manchester, Wires Meanwhile Working Madly, All the Way from Acca to Petersburg.

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